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SALE OF CONDENSED MILK.

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT DECISION UNDER OHIO LAW.

An Ohio statute prohibited the sale of condensed milk unless made from pure unskimmed milk. The United States Supreme Court has decided ¹ that this law prohibits the sale of an article consisting of condensed skimmed milk and a vegetable fat, although not sold as condensed milk.

DEATHS DURING WEEK ENDED JUNE 14, 1919, IN CITIES.

The table following shows the registered deaths from all causes and from pneumonia (all forms) and influenza combined in certain large cities of the United States during the week ended June 14, 1919.

The data are taken from the "Weekly Health Index," June 17, 1919, issued by the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce.

Registered deaths and annual death rates per 1,000 population in certain large cities of the United States, week ended June 14, 1919—Deaths from all causes, and from pneumonia (all forms) and influenza combined.

City.	Population July 1, 1918, estimated.	Total deaths, all causes.	Annual death rate per 1,000.	Annual death rate for preceding years. ²	Influenza and pneu- monia (all forms).	
					Number of deaths.	Annual death rate per 1,000.
Albany, N. Y.	112,565	37	17.1	C. 19.9	.....	.....
Atlanta, Ga.	201,732	63	16.3	C. 14.2	.....	.....
Baltimore, Md.	³ 669,981	165	12.8	A. 16.1	.....	.....
Birmingham, Ala.	197,670	49	12.9	A. 18.0	.....	.....
Boston, Mass.	785,245	169	11.2	A. 15.1	6	0.4
Buffalo, N. Y.	473,229	120	13.2	C. 13.6	.....	.....
Cambridge, Mass.	111,432	24	11.2	A. 12.4	.....	.....
Chicago, Ill.	² 596,681	622	12.5	A. 13.0	50	1.0
Cincinnati, Ohio.	418,022	109	13.6	C. 15.3	.....	.....
Cleveland, Ohio.	810,306	140	9.0	C. 9.6	13	.8
Columbus, Ohio.	225,296	56	13.0	C. 13.2	2	.5
Dayton, Ohio.	130,655	18	7.2	C. 8.4	0	.....
Denver, Colo. ....	.....	60	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fall River, Mass.	128,392	28	11.4	C. 10.2	.....	.....
Grand Rapids, Mich.	135,450	24	9.2	C. 11.9	.....	.....
Indianapolis, Ind.	280,389	74	13.3	C. 12.4	.....	.....
Kansas City, Mo.	313,785	92	15.3	C. 16.0	7	1.2
Los Angeles, Calif.	568,495	99	9.1	A. 12.9	6	.6
Louisville, Ky.	242,707	55	11.8	C. 12.7	3	.6
Lowell, Mass.	109,081	18	8.6	A. 14.6	.....	.....
Memphis, Tenn.	154,759	66	22.2	C. 19.2	1	.3
Milwaukee, Wis.	453,481	91	10.5	A. 11.2	5	.6
Minneapolis, Minn.	383,442	71	9.7	C. 12.2	.....	.....
Nashville, Tenn.	119,215	44	19.2	C. 22.7	.....	.....
Newark, N. J.	428,684	62	7.5	C. 11.9	.....	.....
New Haven, Conn.	154,805	39	13.1	C. 15.2	.....	.....
New Orleans, La.	382,273	130	17.7	A. 19.6	.....	.....
New York, N. Y.	5,215,879	1,131	11.3	C. 11.6	.....	.....
Oakland, Calif.	214,206	39	9.5	A. 11.1	.....	.....
Philadelphia, Pa.	1,761,371	409	12.1	⁴ 14.3	.....	.....

¹ Hebe Co. et al. v. Shaw, Secretary of Agriculture of Ohio, et al., 39 Sup. Ct., 125.

² "A" indicates that the rate given is the average annual death rate per 1,000 population for the corresponding week of the years 1913 to 1917, inclusive. "C" indicates that the rate is the annual death rate per 1,000 population for the corresponding week of 1918.

³ Population estimated as of July 1, 1919.

⁴ Rate is based on statistics of 1915, 1916, and 1917.